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HOW KIT CARSON WON HIS PISTOLS, watching the proceedings,

BY A. D. HYNES.

The day's work, a long ride and a brisk skirmish, were over, the roll called and all had answered to their names, the horses picketed out on the rich grass, and the fires replenished so out in bold relief every object it contained. as to last through the night.

All the fellows save Carson were smoking, and he was busily engaged in cleaning and oil- care to look upon again. ing a pair of handsomely mounted pistols, six shooters, that I had seen him use that morning with terrible effect.

There was a story connected with these glitised to relate to us some day, and as the opportunity was a good one, we put at him for it; and after some little hesitation, for he always disliked to speak of his own deeds, he began:

"Late in the fall of -'49, a Moquis Indian brought word in to Stockton's, that there was a party of white men lost amid the intricacies of hardship and starvation till every bone in their the Great Basin, and said if they were not soon relieved they would all probably perish.

country along the Virgin River, and while so engaged, had been attacked by a band of Chemegnabas and driven into the desert, with the loss of all their camp fixtures and most of their

"Those of you who know this section of country, can imagine how frightful must have been the situation of men in the condition described.

"The ragged, intricate chain of mountains. with their endless valleys, yawning chasms, gloomy cannons and lofty precipices, in many places sterile and totally lacking in water, and consequently in all kinds of game, serve to make it a region well calculated to appal the stoutest heart, or bewilder the coolest head, if once entangled in their mazes.

"It happened that Henry Morgan was at the post when this news came, and together we got ready to cross the mountains and endeavor to bring in those who remained of the illfated

"It was, as I have said, late in the fall when we started, and before we reached the summit of the Sierras snow began to fall. For nearly two weeks we struggled amid the drifts, but we were both used to it, and finally reached the low lands on the eastern side in pretty good condi-

"From the very first, after reaching the levct we found ourselves beset on every side by roving war parties; and consequently the difficulty of searching for any sign of the explorers was very great.

"After a week of close Lunting and dodging we struck it, and began pursuit.

"I need not dwell upon this, nor detail the many adventures and escapes we had, but will go on to the incident that directly led to my possessing these weapons. I must say, however, that at several of the camping places where the party had halted during their wanderings, we found mounds of earth which marked the last resting place of those who had died from exhaustion, starvation, or perhaps wounds received in action with the Indians, and thereby knew that the party was steadily wasting away. A sad sight, boys, were those lonely graves in the midst of that savage wilderness.

"From various signs we knew that we were rapidly overtaking the wanderers, and, determinleft, we pushed forward almost reckless of con-

"It had been a day of even more than comclosely on every side, and more than once we escaped by the merest chance.

"Late in the afternoon, I paused upon the top of a steep, rugged hill, to wait for Morgan, who had gone round through a canon on the western side, when suddenly the silence was broken by a single wild yell, or rather scream, as of one in agony, which came up from the val- way, when suddenly I heard him returning, and ley bellow where I stood.

"My first thought was of Morgan, but a moment later he came hurrying up the steep ascent. The moment I caught sight of his face I knew that he had seen some terrible tragedy, an instant, that I might make a sure blow. and his first words proved my supposition to be Any other would simply be ruin to us all.

"'Great God, Carson!' he said, in a hoarse there!' and he pointed in the direction from the knife clean through his heart, catching him cent.

whence had come the sound a moment before. as he fell, and gently easing him to the ground. "There, just below where we stand, those poor fellows were camped. They were sur-

prised, and, I suppose, all captured. "'Eight of them are tied to stakes, stripped to the skin, and painted black. Hear that!' And again that awful yell of mortal agony rose

up on the still evening air. " 'They are torturing him,' whispered Motgan, whose eyes were starting from his head with suppressed excitement and rage.

"How?" I asked. "He shuddered as he told me. The mode of torture was too horrible even for me to relate. Suffice if to say that it was sufficiently terrible to make us both determine to attempt a rescue

"Night was rapidly falling. In ten minutes more it would be dark. We could then act. But in these ten minutes how much devils' work these fiends could do. One thing was plain; if anything was to be done, it would have to be by stratagem, and not open attack.

"Following the way by which Morgan had come up, we crept down the slope across a narrow strip of half open ground, and into a thickot that grew along the bed of a small stream, So again cautioning Morgan to keep cool, I now nearly dry

said the camp lay.

"The redskins were resting we knew, before beginning the torture of another victim. Step by step we crawled forward, reached the the bushes, looked out upon the little clearing in which the camp had been pitched.

"We found the Indians busily engaged in lighting a fire, the wood for which was already piled up near at hand. Two of them were upon their knees, striking a light from their steel, while others stood grouped around, eagerly

"Eleven, all told,' whispered Morgan, handling his six-shooter in a way that caused me to press his arm warmly. At that moment the spark caught the dry wood, and a bright flame leaped up, rapidly spreading over the pile, and illuminating the whole clearing, so as to bring

"And the light of that fire, boys, brought before my eyes a sight the like of which I never

"As Morgan had said, the captives were eight in number, or rather seven, for the one nearest us we could see was dead, being held erect only by the tough cords that bound him tering weapons which the great scout had prom- to the stake. The remaining seven were likewise securely lashed to upright posts, their naked bodies painted a jet black from head to heel-a certain sign that they were, one and all doomed to death by torture.

"But it was a pitiful sight, those seven helpless men-their forms worn and wasted by bodies showed beneath the blackened skinlooking at one another as if asking for help "It seemed that they had been exploring the that they knew or thought could never come.

"I do not often lose my head, boys, but I swear that if no other plan had opened that night, I would have tried the infernal devils a fair stand up fight. As for Morgan, it required all I could do to keep him back long enough to think the matter over.

"As the fire gathered force, the scene was

more completely revealed. "Near the centre of the clearing stood the stump of a large tree, and upon this was piled the plunder obtained by sacking the camp.

"A few worn and ragged garments, some kind of an instrument used in surveying, I believe, several rifles and two or three doublebarrelled guns were stacked in a heap, upon the top of which lay a pair of pistols that appeared to be tied together by a broad buckskin strap. These are the pistols, and I little though as I saw them lying there, that I would ever own and use them.

"We had as yet fixed upon no plan of attack, indeed had hardly given that subject a thought, but we saw that some course must be decided upon, and that quickly.

"I was on the point of speaking, when a low hiss from my companion directed my attention

back to the camp. "An Indian warrior, a lithe, active looking fellow had arisen, and after gazing about for a moment, as though undecided what to do, suddenly strode out of the circle and advanced deliberately toward the very spot where Morgan and I lay. So unexpected was the movement, and so near the redskins, that I barely had time to whisper to Morgan not to fire under any circumstances, at the same time throwing myself flat on the ground, as did my companion, before the Indian parted the bushes with his hands and entered the thicket.

With a quick, light step the warrior passed directly between us, without suspecting our presence, and so close was he that the fringe on the side of his moceasin brushed my face as his footstep swept by.

"A moment later the chaparral closed behind him, and he was out of sight.

"Quick as lightning a plan of action developed itself in my mind, The life of the Indian was necessary to the carrying of it out, and he ed to save some at least, if indeed any would be must be slain, silently and without loss of time. else he might be called or searched for.

"Morgan was as brave as a lion, and one of the best fighters I ever saw: but he was hotmon danger, as the red-skins were scouring headed, easily lost his temper, and when that was the case, he was utterly reckless of consequences. I knew that it would never do to trust him with the work, and so whispering to him to keep a close watch, I drew my knife and followed the redskin.

"I had gone some twenty or thirty paces back into chaparral, feeling every inch of the just had time to dodge behind a tree when he

"That he would pass in arm's reach of me I saw, but it was necessary that she should halt

"A quick, sharp hiss brought him up standing just where I wanted, and before he even whisper, there is fearful work going on down could realize his danger, much less yell, I drove

"The most difficult part of the work had been accomplished, and slipping back, I told Morgan of my success, and also the plan I had determined upon.

"It didn't take me long to strip the redskin of his war dress, and then removing such of my own clothes as was necessary, I put his on, searched his medicine bag for colors, and l painted up as well as possible in the darkness. "Morgan inspected me closely, adding a few

touches, and thought I would pass if the inspection was not too severe. "By this time the redskins were getting ready for the next victim, the second in line, a tall, powerful fellow, who, with even that awful fate staring him in the face, stood as boldly and fear-

lessly erect as though he had been free, and with a good rifle in his hand. "I saw him turn his head and speak a few words to the man next him, and then he again faced his captors, and calmly watched them preparing the splinters—the splinter torture.

and that was how he was to suffer. "There was no further time to lose if I would save this brave fellow, and I swore I would. stepped slowly out of the bushes, and advanced "The shrieks and groans of the victim had into the camp. Not the least notice was taken The noblest productions of a people are its hausted through want of system in farming, or lions, of which fourteen was contracted on acentirely ceased by the time we had reached the of my approach, and passing behind the crowd, best men.

that's what we call it sometimes, you know,

thicket. Not a sound disturbed the silence as who were all now engaged in splitting and we made our way through the tangled brake, sharpening the bits of dry wood, I approached upon the further side of which my companion the captive on the extreme left of the line, and appeared to be amusing myself in testing his nerve by flourishing my knife in his face.

"The opportunity was good, and whispering to the poor fellow not to be alarmed, that I was edge of the thicket, and cautiously parting a friend and a white man, I passed rapidly round behind the post, and at one sweep severed the rawhide thongs that bound him, at the same time bidding him keep quiet until I gave the signal, when he must make for the arms on the stemp.

"Two others I freed in the same manner without suspicion, and was manoeuvering around the fourth, when the one I had first cut loose became impatient or frightened, and made a slight movement with his arms.

"In an instant the eves of the redskins were upon him; seeing which the poor devil made a leap for the brush close by.

"Before he had gone ten steps, the whole band were after him.

"I knew he would be instantly cut down; but without waiting to see the result, I passed swiftly from one to the other of the remaining captives, freed them all, and gave the signal to rush for the arms just as the warriors returnin a body, one of them bearing a fresh scalp in Ir and as comfortably transported as any other his hand.

"The hardy used men met the wild yell of the Indians with a perfect howl of rage as they ago about an English company placing three sprang towards the stump and greedily grasped the first weapon that came to hand.

"The tall fellow-he whom I had ent loose last-was the first to reach the pile, and I saw him snatch the pistols, cock one rapidly, and fire his first shot in the face of a warrior who was about to cut him down.

"At the same instant I heard Morgan's rifle crack, another Indian fell, and the brave fellow came tearing out of the thicket, firing right | paper the other day of a cattle range in Nebrasand left with deadly effect.

"In less time than I have taken to tell eight of the Indians were down, leaving but two to battle with the infuriated men by whom they had so fearfully been treated. "But these two, driven to desperation, did

more damage than had all the rest put to-"With one of them the tall fellow-an Englishman as it afterward turned out-had clos-

ed, and they were cutting and shooting at each other all over the clearing. "Morgan had tackled the other one, and had shouted to keep hands off, and let them fight it

"It was a foolish thing for me to allow it, Morgan was weakened by our long, hard jour best of him when I least looked for it, and be fore I could shoot, had driven his knife to the

hilt in the poor fellow's breast. "Morgan tell without a groan, and the red skin dropped on top of him, with a bullet through

"But this was the end of the fight, as, while it was going on, the Englishman had finished als Indian, and the work was over.

"I don't think I ever saw as grateful a set of men as were these poor fellows who had been, as it were, taken out of the very jaws of a terri-"But there were still many weary miles of

country, literally alive with hostile Indians, between them and safety. "And it proved a terrible journey to us all."

"Three died before we reached Walker's Pass; one wandered off the trail and was killed by the Indians; leaving only the Englishman and one other to reach Stocklin's in safe-

"Here it was that the Englishman gave me these pistols, and a splendid gift it was, for I purpose of saying sufficient money and learning doubt if there is a pair on the border that will carry so far or throw a ball with the certainty in America. It took two years of the most rig-

ing that he was amply satisfied that, in some respects at least, there was no country like Amer-

"Such, boys," concluded the scout, "is the history of these pistols. It may not have proved a very interesting one, but it is, at any rate,

WHAT IT WILL DO. The following rules are so simple and so true

according to all business usages, that every banker, broker, merchant or clerk, should post them up for reference. There being no such thing as a fraction in it, there is scarcely any liability to error or mistake. By no other arithmetical process can the desired information be obtained by so few figures:

for the number of days upon which it is de- the State to purchase furs. sired to ascertain the interest, of such sum for the time required, at eight per cent, and divide

TEN PER CENT.-Multiply the same as above and divide by 36, and the result will be the mount of interest at ten per cent.

old age, and the man in business who can lay shut up in an insane asylum, and thus died. by a dollar a day will eventually find himself possessed of over \$100,000.

Ex-Governor James E. English has been ap- lean, and then again fatten them; so land that pointed U. S. Senator from Connecticut, vice is kept in good heart from the start, always re-

THE CATTLE TRADE.

The shipment of cattle from this country to Europe promises to prove one of considerable importance. Its development is due principally to the presence of the cattle plague in Great Britain and on the Continent. The Call announces that at least half a million of cattle are now affected in the British Islands with an injury estimated in round figures at a million of dollars. In consequence, the price of animal food is advancing in the English markets and therefore the dealers there are beginning to look to the cattle raisers in this country to supply their deficits.

Naturally, the raisers on this side of the Atlargic are looking the situation square in the face with a view to their own pecunfary benefit. During the few months past there have been a few cargoes sent over as an experiment and the result has been such as to amply compensate the parties who made the venture. The cattle endured the sea voyage with as little disconfort as is ordinarily experienced in crossing the English channel. With vessels having sundecks specially constructed with refercase to this kind of freight, it is admitted by those who are familiar with the business that there is no reason why it should not be as safecargo. There are but two or three such vessels afloat as yet. There was some talk awhile or four suitable steamers to run between Liverpool and Texas ports, but latterly the undertaking seems to be lost sight of. It will be strange however, if the continuation of dearness of animal food in the British markets, does not soon force it again into the foreground.

As an illustration of the well-nigh illimitable capacity of the country beyond the Mississippi as a source of supply, we read in an Omaha ka one hundred and fifty-six miles in length! One stock raiser owned twenty thousand acres, upon which were some twenty-six thousand head of beeves, and some 1000 to 5000 calves. Upon his net sales this year he expects to realize the sum of \$33 per head. At this rate 4,600 would bring him \$151,800. Of course, the business is attended with many and peculiar risks, particularly such as come of severe winters, and the systematic depredations of profesional cattle thieves: but even when due allowance is made for these there would seem to be, under careful management, a margin for profit which but few other industries of like magnitude in this country can offer.

THE ASTOR BEGINNING.

may be said to have been the crown or two good which would be done the State thereby, eaten away so as to make it partially illegible. he set out from Waldorf with his bundle on his as their beneficial results are becoming appar- was only after the most careful examination that shoulder. He was on his way to America, a ent. We are in receipt of the Report of the the writer was enabled to correctly interpret it. ambition for years. While yet in sight of his more than one hundred pages, illustrated by a ters. It reads, line for line, as follows:mative village, he sat down under a tree and well executed geological map of the State, and made three solemn resolutions-"to be honest, cuts descriptive of matters of interest connectto be industrious, and not to gamble"-all of ed with the survey. We hope it has been in which he seems to have kept. He worked his the power of Professor Kerr to have a sufficient assage down the Rhine by rowing on the rafts number of this fine work published that its cirof timber cut from the Black Forest, and earn- culation may be extended to such sections as ed enough to carry him to England, where he will render it valuable to the State. Indeed it took shelter with his brother George who had is a great pity that it could not be published for already entered his uncle's piano and flute factory in London, the firm name being then Astor olina would surely be benefited therefrom .-& Broadwood, since widely know as Broadwood Wilmington Journal. & Co. One of young Astor's biographer's says he brought to London "a pious, true and godly spirit, a clear understanding, a sound youthly elbow-grease and the wish to put it to good use." His stay in England was merely for the enough of the language to set him on his feet id economy to give him a good suit of clothes "I have since received several little tokens and fifteen guineas in money, and when he had from England, whither the adventuresome gen- succeeded in doing this, the news of the treaty tleman returned on the first opportunity, say- of peace which formally recognized the Independence of the United States gave the signal for his departure. Five of his guineas went for a steering ticket, and some of the rest he invested in flutes, so that by this time the Astor fortune had increased to seven flutes and five pounds sterling in money. It was from one of his fellow passengers that he got the notion of buying furs of the Indians and frontier men HOW TO CALCULATE INTEREST AND and selling them to the large dealers. In New York he found another brother, Henry, who welcomed him and his flutes, which were about all he had left, owing to two months' imprisonment in the ice of Chesapeake Bay. He soon found employment with a Quaker furrier at \$2 a week and board, for he had wisely resolved

to learn the business before embarking in it. His wages were raised at the end of the first month, and he was soon employed in purchasin furs and was sent up into Canada in place of SIX PER CENT.—Multiply any given number his employer. All this time he was grasping of dollars by the number of days of interest de on every side all the information he could get sired; separate the right hand figure and di- of his business and its countless details, and bevide by six; the result is the true interest on fore long left the good Quaker behind and such sum for such number of days at six per struck out for himself. His first little shop was on Water street, where he worked early and EIGHT PER CENT .- Multiply any given amount late, and now and then traveling on foot over

DEATH OF THE "COAL KING."

Pittsburg recently attended the funeral of one of her best known citizens, Mr. William H. battle, and \$2,500 a side the odd fight. Sever-Brown, the so-called "Coal King." Beginning life in an humble way he accumulated wealth WHAT IT WILL Do .- If a mechanic or clerk and extended his busines until at his death he saves only 21 cents per day, from the time he was worth more than \$5,000,000, and was one York city the first of December. is twenty-one until he is three score and ten, of the largest miners and shippers of coal in the the aggregate with interest, will amount to \$2.- world. Besides those boats which he hired, his 900; and a daily saving of 271 cents reaches own fleet amounted to more than 1,200 boats whelming. Official statistics show a decline of News. the important sum of \$29,000. A sixpence sav- and barges, and were scattered from Pittsburg 20 per cent, in the value of all Philadelphia ed daily will provide a fund of \$7,000 -sufficto New Orleans. He is said to have carried the real estate, in the last two years. At this rate, ient to purchase a good farm. There are few larger part of his immense business "in his it can soon be re-entered at the old government employees who cannot save daily, by abstain- head," and was in many respects a remarkable rate-a bit an acre-Let the pinch go on. It's Celestial Empire to be educated in the United ing from the the use of cigars, tobacco, liquor, man. But attempting to do too much, Nature hurting its authors worst. We rather like it .etc., twice or ten times the amount of the six took her revenge. His brain gave way, and Raleigh Sentinel. cent piece. Every person should provide for the man who had controlled so many had to be

> It is cheaper to keep animals in constantly good condition than to allow them to become turns a greater profit to the owner during a sethe waste of manure.

OUR STATE GEOLOGIST.

DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH CAROLINA.

State we spent a day in Raleigh, and meeting tion of the advent of Christ. On the first Sur-Prof. Kerr, the State Geologist, on the street, we proposed to spend an hour or two in his Museum and examine his collection of speci- are returned for the first means of grace, the mens of minerals found within the borders of Holy Scriptures; on the third, for the ministry, North Carolina. After seeing what Prof. Kerr has done to develope and make known to the interposition of God's great might. There are world the rich resources of North Carolina, we always four Sundays in Advent, the first being do not hesitate to say that we regret that we ever advocated the abolishment of his office.

We are confident that but very few of our people know the richness and vast resources of heir State—the amount of gold, silver, copper, iron and coal imbeded in the soil of North Carolina, together with the most beautiful marble and stone in her quarries is indeed astonishing. In mineral resources and material wealth we do not think this State can be surpassed by any in the Union. All that is necessary to prove the Baptist, and appears to have been the live this is an examination of the Geological Mus-

eum at Raleigh. Prof. Kerr showed in the Maps be prepared and took with him to the World's Exposition at Vienna in 1873, exhibiting the different mineral regions of the State, the Mountains and their heights, the temperature of climate, &c., A. D., 70, by being crucified on a cross in the &c .- explanations being printed on the maps form of an X. by the Professor himself, in English, German and French. The maps and the specimens of ores and native woods exhibited by Prof. Kerr attracted great attention at the Exposition, the Emperor of Germay several times personally examining the articles in the North Carolina

A rather curious or strange fact is shown by one of Prof. Kerr's maps, viz: That the land on the North Carolina coast projects further into the Atlantic Ocean by 100 miles than that of any other coast from Florida to New York, and that the land is steadily and constantly gaining on the Ocean and narrowing its compass. Whales ond other sea animals have been found imbedded several feet in the ground near Weldon, Goldsboro and Kinston, proving that the ocean once flowed over those sections of the State, at least one hundred miles from the ocean at present.

We intended to allude to this subject hereafthe State ought to refund to Prof. Kerr the expense he incurred in going to Vienna and making known the wonderful resources of North pillars were of wood and supported the

We copy the above from the Charlotte Democrat, and desire to give it our endorsement. We have long been aware of the persistent and in- much worn, apparently from the influences of circulation in the German States. North Car-

THE THIBETAN PRAYER. The inhabitants of Thibet have praying stones. praying pyramids, praying flags flying over every house, praying wheels, praying mills, and the universal prayer consists of six syllables, Om mani pad me haun. These constitute the only prayer that the common Mongols and Thied the prayer means, O, God! the jewel in the known people of modern New York are delotus. Amen. One meets this sentence whereever the Lama church has established itself, and the constant reproduction of it on stones, flags, ago. monuments, &c., is regarded as religious worship. Hence the use of prayer wheels and prayer mills whose cylinders are filled with rolls of paper on which this prayer is written many times, and by their turning it is continually offered up to heaven. Of course it forms the root of all doctrine, as each of the five syllables the 15th ult., had in attendance some 250 delethat follow, Om, is a preservative against a gates, an unusually good representation. particular great class of evils, and the repetition of the whole is a prayer for the well-being the agency of five Boards. The Boards of State of the six classes of creatures-human beings, the lower animals, evil spirits, souls in heaven, souls in purgatory, souls in hell. And though est College, the Sunday School Board at Charrepeated by most simply as a charm, it is deep- lotte, and the Church Extension Board at Willy significant of the mysterious something con- mington. nected with every human soul, hidden within it, and visible perhaps to God alone, pure and precious to the eye of Him whose will is to be

cocking main for \$5,000, between New York \$12,050. and Virginia, have been completed. Each side weights ranging from four pounds nine ounces to five pounds eleven ounces, for \$1,000 each whom are beneficiaries. al Wall street brokers back the New York fowls, while two prominent turfmen back the Virgin- Rev. F. M. Jordan, General Avangelist, reian fowls. The main is to be fought in New ported 691 persons as having professed religion

Really, this contraction prosperity is over- held in Raleigh in November, 1876.-Raleigh last week, bringing thirty bright boys from the

Gov. Gaston's platform was: "Reconciliation between all sections of the country; hard money; purity in the administration of affairs. and retrenchment and reform in all departments in the Government." No wonder he was de-

The taxable property of Alabama amounts to ries of years, than if allowed to become ex- \$160,000,000. Her State debt is thirty milcount of railroads.

THE CHRISTIAN YEAR.

The Christian Year commenced with "Advent Sunday," which was last Sabbath. There are four Sundays in Advent. These are in-In a recent trip to the Eastern part of the tended as a preparation for the commemoraday, prayers are offered that the works of darkness may be cast away; on the second, thanks and on the fourth, prayers for the more direct that nearest St. Andrew's day, either before or after as the case may be.

Nov. 30th, (Tuesday) is set down in the calendar as St. Andrew's Day, and joint services of the congregations of St. James', St. John's and St. Paul's Episcopal Churches, of this city, were held at St. James' Church that morning at 11 o'clock.

St. Andrew the apostle is the "patron saint" of Scotland. He was first a disciple of St John to follow Christ. For this reason it is sup ed that the place of honor has been gives him in the Angliann Prayer book, where he comes first of all those commemorated. But little is known of him, although he is believed to have suffered martyrdom at Paira, in Treece.

St. Andrew's Day is usually celebrated by Scotchmen in all parts of the world .- Wilmington Star.

INTERESTING RELIC.

From the New York Herald, of June 8th, 1875.] During the demolition of the "Old North-Dutch Church," located at the corner of William and Fulton streets, an interesting souvenier has been discovered, a full description of which will be found in the sequel. The curiosity referred to is a metalic plate, about the size of a sheet of letter paper, and had engraved upon its face a brief sketch of the church itself, beside giving the names of its original projectors. The material of the plate is similar to type metal and the inscription upon it is very crudely stamped into its surface.

One of the workmen, John F. Scullion, engaged in tearing down the ancient edifice, states er, but will take occasion now to suggest that that one week ago from Saturday last he found the plate under the base of the first pillar, i. e., the supporting column nearest the pulpit. These

APPEARANCE OF THE RELIC.

The face of the curiosity referred to is very The original capital of the great Astor estate telligent labors of our State Geologist, and the moisture, much of the inscription upon it being which John Jacob had in his pocket when at 17 His services are beginning to be appreciated Many of the letters are entirely gone, and it journey that had been the dream of his boyish Geological Survey of North Carolina, a work of The inscription is in plain Roman capital let-

THE INSCRIPTION.

THIS CHURCH WAS BUILT BY THE CONGREGATION OF THE REFORMED PROTESTANT DUTCH CHURCH IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR ENGLISH SERUICE UNDER INSPECTION OF A COMMITTE OF

ELDERS ISAAC ROSEUELT PETER MAPSCHALK PETER L LOTT ADRIAN BANCKER CORN S ROGERT ANDREW WARSCHALK THEODORUS VAN WYCK GARRET ABEEL ANDREW BREESTED IUR CARPENTER AND PROIECTOR.

IOHN STAGG MASTER MASON AND ALEX BATES. MR LACOBUS ROSEUELT SEN. ELDER.
THE WALLS BUILT TO RECEIVE THE ROOF, IUNE 17 1768 THESE PILLARSBEARED, IUNE 21 1768
THE FIRST ENGISH MINISTER EOR THE DUTCH

PEACE BEWITHEN THIS SACRED PLACE,
AND HOLY GIFTS AND HEAUENLY GRACE.
TOBIAS VAN ZANDT. CLERK GAEEL F

The above is an exact reproduction of the original inscription, in which it will be noticed betans know. The first syllable is the sacred that the letter "i" is used instead of "j" and whale of the Hindus which denotes the abso- the letter "u" in place of the letter "v." lute, the supreme divinity. Literally translat- It will also be observed that many of the best scendants from those whose names are engrayed upon this quaint old relic of a hundred years

THE LATE N. C. BAPTIST STATE CON-

VENTION. The late Baptist State Convention, held in Shelby, convening on the 10th and closing on

The Convention conducts its operations through and Foreign Missions are located in Raleigh, the Ministerial Educational Board at Wake For-

The amount of money contributed during the past year: To the State Missions by the State Board and District Associations, \$7,000; to Ministerial Education, \$1,600; to Foreign Missions, \$2,500; to Sunday Schools, about \$3000; Cocking Main .- All the details for the great to Indian Missions, \$1,430; or a total of some

There are at present representing the State is to show twenty-one cocks, and fight all that Convention six students for the Ministery at falls in according to the New York rules, at the Greenville (S. C.) Theological Seminary, and twenty-six at Wake Forest College, most of

About 5,000 persons were added to the Churches in the State during the year just closed. The

under his ministry during the past two years. The next meeting of the Convention will be

The steamer China, arrived at San Francisco

About six hundred thousand stand of arms

are exported from the United States annually.

An Indian man said to a Bible agent, "I'm a Christian, but I'd be blamed if I don't have to grit my teeth when the Ohio river is on a level with the top of my corn."

He who hath most of heart knows most of sor-

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1975.

THE PRESENT CONGRESS.

The 44th Congress which assembled on Monday last, consists of 292 Representatives and 74 Senators, making a total of 366 members. To this number 9 Territorial Delegates must be

In Polities the present Congress is classified as follows: Senate: 42 Republicans, 29 Demoerats, 2 : Independents, and one vacancy-Republican majority, 11. In the last (43rd) Congress, it was 21. The House contains 101 Republicans, 177 Democrats. 5 Liberal Republicans, 4 Independent Reformers, and one vacancy, making a majority of 63 for the Democrats. The last Congress had a Republican majority in the House of 105.

The remarkable political revolution of 1874 brought to the front an unusual number of young men who are entirely unknown and who have their reputations to make as national Legislators. Let us hope they may aim at a high moral standard rather than seek that brilliant bubble, whichso often bursts and lea yes its votaries in ntter despair.

The New York Tribune contains a very interesting classification of the members of the pres-

It is a Congress of young rather than old heads. A very large proportion of the new members are in the early stage of middle life, one of them being only 29, and only one over 70. All but 7 of the new members are natives of the United States. Twenty one were born in New England, 32 in New York, 31 in Pennsylvania a New Jersey, 26 in the West, and 54 in the South. Three members were born in Ireland, 2 in Canada, 1 is an Englishman and 1

Sixty-nine of the 176 members received a college education. There are six graduates of Yale College, 2 of Washington and Jefferson. 3 of the College of New Jersey, 2 of the University of Alabama, 3 of the University of Virginia, 5 of Union College, 2 of Hamilton, 2 of of Bethany College, and one representative from each of the following institutions: Harvard, Madison, William and Mary, University of Vermont, University of Louisiana, Washington and Lee, Amherst, Bethel, Williams, Illinois, Wesleyan, University of Indiana, Georgetown. Genesee, University of Wisconsin, University of South Carolina, St. Mary's, McKendree, Franklin and Marshall, Kenyon, University of Iowa, Rutgers, University of Maryland, Waterville, Columbia, Duquesne, Ashbury, and a few other colleges. There is one graduate of the University of Giessen, Germany, and one Edinburgh. A very large proportion of those who did not go to college received a fair education in common school or seminary. Two or three colored members from the South could not read until after the outbreak of the war. There are two graduates from West Point.

Twenty-eight of the new members were Se-Mr. Hill of Georgia, and others were members of the Confederate Senate, and several Southern members took high rank in the Southern army. Twenty-six members were in the Union army and one was in the navy. Robert Small, a colored member from South Carolina, had a varied experience, serving in both arms of the service and on both sides. By trade a rigger and sail-United States fleet off Charleston. He was put on the pavy list of the United States, and was subsequently appointed second lieutenant in a regiment of colored troops.

The Bar will have an overwhelming repremembers 122 are lawyers; 31 are engaged in bankers, 2 are editors, 6 are farmers, and 2 are

All but six of the seventeen new Senators are lawyers, Benators Christiancy of Michigan and most extended experience at the Bar and on the Bench. There are four ex-Governors-Mr. Booth of California, Gen Burnside of Rhode Island, Mr. English of Connecticut, and Mr. Randolph of New-Jersey. Only two of the new Senators have served an apprenticeship in the Honse of Representatives. These are Mr. English of Connecticut, who served two terms during the war, and Mr. McDonald of Indiana, who was in the House for a single term 25 years ago. Three of the Senators were in the Confederate army and one was a Senator.

A movement is on foot to assemble a large number of soldiers of the late war in Philadel not enough to cover the heavy losses which phia some time during the Centennial. It is they sustain. The estimated loss, by good roposed to have northern and southern armies financiers, is between one hundred and fifty and represented by their leading generals, and thousands of the rank and file from every State. The purpose is to show the world by a grand and impressive demonstration that men who were in arms against each other a few years ago are new united in the celebration of the hundredth birthday of their country, and inspired by a spirit of patrictism and feeling of common nationality.—Exchange.

This is a move in the right direction and we

But when insults are offered by prominent persons in public places, as was the case in the Railroad Convention recently assembled in St. Louis,-objection being made to the invitation extended to Jefferson Davis to take a seat on the platform, white others were cordially received,-we fear fanaticism, prejudice and Southern hatred is still harbored in the breasts of too many North of Mason & Dixon's line. So long as this is the case, cordial, genuine good feeling between the two recently alienated sections cannot be fully restored.

Instead of letting the old wounds heal, Republican politicians find it to their interest to keep them open, and flaunt the bloody shirt whenever opportunity offers. It is much to be regretted that this state of things does prevail McEnry certificates were read and laid aside. to a considerable extent.

Judge Hill, of the United States District ant Governor. The roll-call is progressing.— nonmation in the State. The last census says that the Methodists have 1,193 churches in the Court for Mississippi, has literally changed the Large crowd in attendance. complexion of the juries in that court by adopting a rule which excludes from the panel all who cannot read, write and compute interest.

Information from Rio Grande represents trouble from cattle stealing as bad as ever. The Mexican raiders have a contract to deliver. 18,000 heads at Monterey. They expect to steal them from Texas. The soldiers sent by the Mexican government to the frontier to prevent raids often desert to the cattle thieves, swindle is anything but creditable. Let Schenck Trustees of the University of North Carolina

Democrat, for Congress, 267 majority

THE LATE VICE-PRESIDENT WILSON-THE LESSON OF LIS LIFE.

One valuable lesson may be learned by young people of the South as well as of the North. from the life of the late Vice-President Wilson, and that lesson is the value of industry and frugality. Born in the lowest grade of society at the age of ten he was bound to a farmer, with whom he remained until he became twenty-one. A month's schooling each year was all he rereived. When he reached the age of twentyone, fifty-seven cents constituted all his savings. Up to that time he had never had as much as a dollar. At the expiration of his indentures he received from his "master" six sheep and a yoke of oxen, which brought him in money eighty-four dollars. This money he loaned out and lost. He hired himself to a farmer for six the slightest c'uc. Ten thousand dollars redollars a month and board. Upon giving up farming he walked to Natick, one hundred miles, carrying with him all his worldly possesquarter. At Natick he engaged in the business of shoemaking.

be a Senator in Congress and Vice-President of talent. the United States! However distasteful Mr. Wilson's political views may be to many persons, especially to those of the South, his career abounds in encouragements to poor struggling young men in whatever portion of the country their lot may be east .- Richmond Whia.

Here is a curious statement about the late Vice-President, which is given on the authority of the Sun's Washington correspondent:

It is not generally known that the Vice-President's name was originally Henry Colbath, which he changed while still a boy for the name of his adopted father. It is said that his earnest-convictions on the subject of total abstinence were primarily formed as a consequence of his who was with him in his last illness, retains his name, S. H. Colbath. He has been for several years employed as a door-keeper under the sergent-at-arms of the United States Senate.

CONTESTED ELECTION CASES IN THE NEXT Congress.-The contested election cases in the next House of Representatives will exceed in number those of any previous session for many years, The clerk of the House has already received notices of fifteen contestants, and the papers in many of the cases have already been filed. The contests are in the following distriets: First and second of Alabama; second, third and ninth of Illinois; thirteenth of Indiana; ninth of Kentucky; third, fourth and fifth of Louisiana; fourth of Massachusetts; first and second of South Carolina; second of Virginia, and eigth Wisconsin. The last case is one of peculiar interest, for the reason that it is the first of the kind that has ever occurred. It can hardly be called a contest in its present form member studied medicine in the University of The candidates were Alexander S. Dill, Rep., and George W. Cate, Dem. Cate held the certificate, but the case was sent to the courts on some local question. Both men agreed to abide by the decision of the Supreme Court of the State. The court decided in favor of Dill, although, as before stated, Cate held the Governor's certificats of election. Dill has since cessionists, and 26 of these served in the Con- died. The question for the House to decide federate army. Mr. Throckmorton of Texas, are whether Cate is entitled to the seat, to dollars. The wolf in sheep's clothing, claiming whom the salary belongs to the time of Dill's to be a regular ordained minister of the Metho-

The Charlotte Observer, in alluding to Gov-State to pay the costs of their prosecution, says: "If Governor Brogden will pardon convicts and turn them loose to commit depredation on honor, he was a pilot on a Southern steamboat, and est men, we suggest that decency and propriesucceeded in seizing the vessel and joining the ty require that he should not pardon the costs, We cite him to the State vs. Underwood, 64 N. C. Report, p. 599, where he will learn from Judge Settie that the common practice in this State is to grant pardons on condition that defendant pay all cost. We have not been able to the Institute. About a week after this letter sentation in the new Congress. Of the 176 new | find a single precedent to the contrary until Radical Governors come into power. In Elmercantile pursuits, 4 are physicians, 3 are wood's case there is a bill of cost of three or four hundred dollars, thus put upon the county of Cleaveland. It is bad enough to pardon murderers, but to compel honest men to pay for their entertainment in jail, when they own McMillan of Minnesota having bad perhaps the thousands, is adding insult to injury. The pardon of Mooney is another instance of the same wrong being done to the county of Rutherford."

> A correspondent of the Raleigh News writing from Beaufort says that the fire which swept that town on Wednesday morning, originated in the rear of the millinery establishment of Miss Isabella Pigott, and before the flames could be stayed there were twenty-seven stores destroyed, with their entire contents, with a few exceptions. Some of the merchants managed to save a small part of their immense fall stock. The business part of the town was antwo hundred thousand dollars.

FROM WASHINGTON .- On the 4th instant at the Democratic caucus, in Washington, Mr. Kerr was nominated Speaker by the Democratie caucus. The first ballot stood: Kerr 71, Randall 59, Cox 31. Second, Kerr 77, Randall 63, Cox 21, Saylor 1. Third, Kerr 90, Randall hope it may be carried out, says the Danville 63, Cox 7, Saylor 1. During the morning, Mr. Wood announced himself in favor of Kerr, and on the third ballot Mr. Cox asked his friends to support the successful candidate.

On the fourth ballot for Clerk, Adams stood 47, Crittenden 40, Sayler 7, Shober 10, Banks 22, Dubose 16, Archer 7, Whitehead 7.

Washington, Dec. 6.—The Senate was called to order with Ferry in the Chair. The usual resolutions were adopted notifying the Presirum of the Senate was present and that body was ready for business. It being ascertained authoritatively that the President's message would not be ready until Tuesday, the Senate

The Mississippi delegations were received, the eredentials having been signed by the Lieuten-

Next week we will publish the President's

The removal of Gen. Schenck from the office of minister to England from this country is called for by nearly all the leading Republican papers of the country, yet the Executive Department of our Government has been deaf, so far, to all appeals. The stubbern attitude of the President, in this long standing "Emma Mine" thus increasing instead of diminishing the dep- be called home and then let him "rise and explajn" if he can.

The official returns from Oregon gives Lane, The death of Benj. P. Avery, U. S. Minister The State Agricultural Journal has suspendto China, is reported at Washington.

The Wilson Advance has entered upon its sixth volume. Being ably conducted and devoted to the interests of its section, it deserves the prosperity it enjoys, 'The name of Capt. E. C. Woodson, late of the Raleigh News, appears at the head of its local department.

It is rumored that the P. M. General will re-

Boss Tweed Escaped.—Tweed escaped on the evening of the 5th, outwitting the police. visit his wife. He wished to see her alone and | Garmany, Roumania, and Austria, are Hebrews. was seen no more. Different cities have been telegraphed to look out for him. Twenty minward has been offered.

THE DAILY CHARLOTTE OBSERVER is one of sions in a pack. The trip cost him a dollar and our best exchanges. It frequently brings us a day's later news than our other daily exchanges, and is conducted with great ability. Its Such are the beginnings of a man who rose to entire make-up displays enterprise, tact and

> The last day of November (Tuesday,) was very cold in the north. The Hudson and Delaware rivers were frozen over, The thermometer ranged from 4 to 22 degrees below zero in the New England States.

Charles O'Coner, the great lawyer, is seriously ill; his disease being paralysis of the stomof his recovery. He is an old man, over sev-

FAILURES .- Considerable excitement in Madison, Rockingham county, on account of rereal father's drinking to excess. His brother, ported heavy failure of Wm. Reynolds, tobac-

> Tiddy & Brother, paper makers and booksellers, of Charlotte have failed-liabilities

NEWS OF THE WEEK

STATE ITEMS.

A correspondent of the Asheville Pioneer. writing from Webster, Jackson county, under date of the 23d ult., says that James Frizzle shot and instantly killed his brother-in-law, Clingman Buchanan, in the house of the former. According to the testimony of Mr. Dan. Wilbar, before the jury of inquest, the men had been engaged in an unpleasant conversation for an hour, when Frizzie remarked that he would not stand it, and drawing his weapon, fired before any one could interfere, with the fatal result mentioned.

W. A. Weant, of Salisbury, has invented and patented a "self-adjusting railway switch," which will be of advantage to railroad companies, both in point of economy and safety.

The Charlotte Lutherans have called Rev. John Bachman Haskill, of Charleston, S. C. He is the grandson of Rev. John Bachman, D.D., the father of Lutheranism in the South.

Wilson Advance: A negro preacher named Frank Dancy, originally from Edgecombe but hailing from Raleigh, recently swindled Mr. Eaton Perry, of Nash, out of several hundred dist church, visited the neighborhood of Mr. death, and whether a new election is necessary. Perry, for the purpose of preaching to the negroes. He made arrangements with Mr. P. to make a crop on his land next year, and barernor's pardoning criminals and leaving the gained for a fine horse and sulky, and after making an account of about one hundred dollars at Mr. Perry's store, left for parts unknown with the horse and sulky, worth some three hundred dollars.

> REMARKABLE EVIDENCE OF THE POWER OF PRAYER. - A private letter from Raleigh, N. C., relates that three of the lady teachers connected with the Peace Institute wrote to Messrs. Moody and Sankey while in New York, asking their prayers and those of the congregation in behelf of the young ladies attending school at was written five of the most hardened girls at the Institute sought their teachers and talked correctly with them on the subject of their souls' salvation. This seemed to be the origin of a work of grace in the community that promises the greatest blessings. On last Sunday sixteen of the Peace Institute scholars professsed conversion, and the deepest interest is manifested by all. These three ladies say that no one knew of their writing the letter and making this request of Messrs. Moody and Sankey. So the interest could not have been attributed to a knowledge of this fact.

Whether this revival is in answer to prayer or not cannot of course be determined, but the coincidence is, to say the least, remarkable. Certainly the Bible warrants the belief that such answers to prayer will be given .- Bedford

Mrs. Parker, living near Mocksville, Davie county, was recently wounded, perhaps fatally, by the accidental discharge of a gun in the

Mr. Cornelius Stephenson, of Johnston counnihilated. Most all were partially insured, but ty, raised this year 400 bushels of sweet potatoes on 21 acres. He realized at the rate of

> The old original thirteen States are to be represented at the Centennial in Philadelphia next year by the oldest military company from each of all to purchase the LATEST STYLES of NEW of them. North Carolina will be represented by the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry, whose escort has been accepted by His Excellency Governor Brogden. This company was formed in 1793 and is said to be the second oldest in the Union. It is under the command of Maj. Charles Haight, and will carry to Philadelphia about one hundred men.

NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE, last week in session in Wilmington. The following statement will prove of interest:
"There are 144 ministers and 40 lay delegates belonging to the body. The Conference is divided into 10 districts, but it does not include the entire State, there being 45 counties in the Holston Conference beyond the Blue Ridge, and 10 in the Virginia Conference in the Eastern part of the State. There are about 65,000 members (white) belonging to the M. E. Church, dent and House of Representatives that a quochurch owns and controls five colleges, viz Asheville Female College, Murfreesboro Female College, Greensboro Female College Davenport Female College, and Trinity College; the three last being under the direct control of the North Carolina Conference. The ministers of this Conference make an exhibit of McPherson called the House to order. The \$10,000 raised annually for benevolent purpos-Another hopeful feature of this church is the fact that it has 26,000 children in its Sunday Schools-some 10,000 more than any other de-

> Jas. D. Fetner, the Engineer who ran his F. W. MELLER'S Old Stand. train into another train on the C. C. & A. R. R. a few weeks ago, and for whom the R. R. Co., had offered a reward of \$500, was arrested in Charlotte on Sunday.

Small Pox has broken out about 12 miles above Mount Airy, near the foot of the mountain. Several cases are reported.

Gov. Brogden gives notice as ex-officio chairwill be held at the Executive office in the city of Raleigh on Thursday, the 16th Deember, 1875,

ed publication.

IREDELL COURT: The Statesville American says:—The case against Mr. Nat Boyden, alleged forgery, no prosecutor appearing, the Solicitor entered a nolle prosequi, against the remonstrance of Mr. Boyden who demanded a hearing and vindication through the Court, for which purpose we learn, it is to be re-opened.

GENERAL NEWS.

Of the 5,000,000 Jews estimated to be on the face of the globe, 120,000 are assigned to Ameren, 46,000 to France, 300 to Ireland 32 to Nory. One out of every seven inhabitants of He, in charge of officers, went to his home to Poland, and one out of every seventy-five of

The issues of three and five cent factional notes ceased in April, 1869. At that time there utes after his escape was known word reached had been issued \$602,000 of the denomination every police station in the city. There is not of three cents and \$5,700,000 of the five cent series. Although more than six years have elapsed, there are still outstanding 392,000 in three cents notes, and more than \$1,870,000 of the five cent issue, which for the most part have | those found elsewhere. been lost or destroyed.

WILLIAM B. ASTOR AND HIS TWO HUNDRED MILLIONS .- It would be difficult to determine the value of his property, either real or personal It probably aggregates nearly \$200,000,000. Mr. Astor paid more taxes on real estate than any other man in the country. He paid annually as taxes on his real property \$500,000. which is one seventieth of the whole amount of the tax collected annually in this city. The assessed value of his real estate is understood to be some \$56,000,000 with a probable actual of some \$75.000,000.

He owned real estate in every ward and in nearly every avenue and street in the city, and it is said of him that every mile that he walked ly ill; his disease being paralysis of the stom-ach. He was at one time reported dead, but at the last advices, his physician held out hopes most exclusively to this city, with the exception of his country seat, a tract of some six hundied acres, in the township of Red Hook, in this State, and a few hundred acres in the West, which he took in payment of debts. About one sixth of his real estate is locked up in long leases, some of which are expiring almost every day, while many will continue in full force and effect for many years to come. His property is all improved, and he does not own a single vacant lot .- New York World.

> REFORM IN SOUTH CAROLINA.—The annual session of the South Carolina Legislature opened last week at Columbia. The message of Governor Chamberlain insists on perseverance in the reforms which have been begun. The Governor says: "The measures which I deem most essential to the welfare of the State are: First, the prompt passage of a supply act which shall impose the lightest possible burden of taxation; second, the enactment of a law which shall require all disbursements of public funds except the interest on the public debt to be made upon warrants of the Comptroller-Generd, issued upon vouchers approved by that offier, and permanently recorded in his office; third, the keeping of all appropriations within the limits of the funds provided for by taxation; fourth, the immediate and large reduction of the scale of all public expenditures; fifth, the equitable adjustment of the floating indebtedess of the State; sixth, the inflexible observance of exact good faith respecting the public debt.'s

COSTLY PERFUMES .- Dr. Rebatel of Lyons, who travelled in 1874 in the regency of Tunis, makes mention in the narrative of his tour of two very costly perfumes that are manufactured at Efakes, a Mediterranean coast-town of that country. These perfumes are the essence of ose and the essence of jessamine, the flowers ing obtained from the gardens of the surrounding regions. An ounce of the former, even at the place of manufacture, sells from twenty to thirty dollars, while the same quantity of the jessamine essence cost forty-five dollars. Nearly two hundred and twenty pounds of roses and needed to make an onnce of these essential oils The principal markets for their sale are Tunis and Constantinople.

The Norfolk Virginian says: From Capt. Babel Taylor, of the steamer Lucy, plying between our waters and those of North Carolina, we learn that the party of sportsmen from this city, consisting of Messrs. Ed. Face, George Staves, John Fullerton and Jossie Knight, who took passage with him on the 20th, are having a most successful hunt. They have so far visited the Albemarle and Currituck sounds, and uthe Roanoke river as far as Shell Landing, Thep have succeeded in killing 42 deer and 60 tury

This year's vintage will pour \$4,000,000 of gold into French pockets. Wine is so abundant in Burgundy that casks fetch \$8, or if you will bring two easks to the owner of the vineyard will fill one if you will make him a present of the other.

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THE MARKETS.

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	deneral merchandise.				
	Corn, 60 a 65 1	Salt			
	Wheat, 1 10 a 1 20	Salt 150 a 0 0			
	Flour, 2 75 a 3 00	American 0.00			
		Candles ada. 18 a 90			
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ı	Chop, 2 a 2	Kerosene, 22 a 30			
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	Molasses, 35 a 45	Iron, 5 a Nails, 4½ a 5			
l	Cheese Fac. 18 a 25	Calculate 41 a 5			
,		Calf Skins, green, 10 cts.			
	Putter 15 a 20	13110W, 8 a 10			
	Butter 25 a 00	Beeswax, 28 a 30			
	Peas, 80 a 00	Clover Seed, 0 00 a 8 00			
	Apples, green, 50 a 0 00	Home grown; 0.00 a 0.00			
	dried, 4 a 10	Barrels Flour, Fruit 50			
	Potatoes.sw. 50 a on	Brick 7 00			
,	" irish, 50 a 00	Brick, 7.00 a 00.00			
	Coffee, 22 a 30	Shingles,			
		Longleafpine, 4.50 a 5 50			
		Hay, percwt. 50 9 00			
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Wrappers-Common to medium 3000 to 35 00 Good to fine 22 00 to 35 00 35 00 to 50 00 Fayetteville, Dec. 2 .- Bacon 14 a 15 Flour, \$6.25 a \$6 50; Corn 0 75 a 1 00: Oats 55

MAHOGANY.

Rye, \$0 00; Wheat. \$0 00 a \$0 00 Lard, 17 a 18; Brandy, \$2 00; Whisky, corn \$150 a \$170; rye, a \$200 a \$225; Salt \$0 00 a 1 50. Charlotte. Dec. 6 .- Bacon 124 a 15;

New York, Dec. 4. - Cotton 13 to Wheat, \$1.18 to \$1.20 Corn, 75 a 100, monopoly that may be made to pay \$5,000 Pork \$21.70 a \$21.75. Lard 141. Money 2 a 3. Gold 1.154. State bonds dull and nominal. **Baltimore**, Dec. 4.—Flour, 4.75, a 5.50; Wheat 1.40 a 1.42. Corn, White 85, yellow 82;

1.13. Lard, 13 a 14. Notice!

Chicago, Dec, 6.-Wheat, 1.12 a 1.16. Corn,

51. Oats, 33. Pork, 18 00 a 22 00. Whisky.

present them duly proven, within twelve months from this date, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

D. P. MAST, Public Administrator.
Salem, N. C., December 1st, 1875.

Notice.

MRS. THOMAS J. BONER, has resumed the business of Coloring and Cleansing, and is prepar-ed to Dye every description of ladies and gentlenen's wear. Salt St., 3rd door from corner, back of the Bank. Salem Oct. 28, 1875 .- 43.

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NOVEMBER 16, 1875.

Our Second Stock of Fall & Winter Goods. HODGIN, HINSHAW & CO., We have just received the Largest and most varied stock of GOODS ever offered in Winston or Salem.

We buy for Cash only, and in quantities that enable us to get bottom prices, consequently we are offering goods at EXTREMELY LOW PRICES. Our stock consists of every article of goods used by the masses of the people.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

POST OFFICE DIRECTORY. Salem, N. C., Post Office Arrangement,-Office not be open on that day.

TIME OF ARRIVAL AND CLOSING THE MAILS Railroad, from Greensboro to Salem, closes every day, except Sundays, at 7.30, a. m.; due every day except Sunday, by 6.10, p. m.

Mount Airy mail, via Old Town, Bethania, Five Forks, Little Yadkin. Pilot Mountain, Flat Shoals and Tom's Creek; closes Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 6 30, a. m.; due, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, by 3. p. m.

Madison mail, via Sedge Garden, Germanton and Walnut Cove, due, Monday, Wednesday and Friday by 5 p. m.; Closes, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturlav. at 6 30 a. m. Jerusalem mail, via Friedberg. Miller's Mill, Elba

ville and Fulton: closes every Wednesday at 6, a. mdue, every Thursday, 7, p. m. Jonesville mail, via Mt. Tabor, Vienna, Red Plains

East Bend and Booneville: due every Friday, by 7 p. m.; closes every Saturday, at 6, a. m. Walkertown mail, via Salem Chapel, White Road, weight being 509 lbs on the 2nd inst. Belew's Creek Mills and Blakely: closes every Friday, at 4 30, p. m.; due, every Saturday, by 7, p. m. Huntsville mail via Clemmonsville, Lewisville

and Panther Creek, closes Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 6 30. a. m.; due Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 3 p. m.

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LOCAL NOTICES .- Notices will be published in our local columns at 20 cents per line, every insertion, for regular customers who have standing advertisements in the PRESS. Otherwise, 25 cents per line for each insertion.

OBITUARY NOTICES .- All obituary notices and tributes of respect, over ten lines, will be troubles you. Have you had news that charged at advertising rates. Terms cash.

BLANKS, Land Deeds, Mortgage Deeds, Chattle Mortgages, Magistrates Summons Judgments and Executions, for sale at the PRES

WOOD. - A supply of good Firewood Wanted. Enquire at this Office.

LECTURE.—We had the pleasure of hearing the excellent Lecture delivered in the Academy Chapel, on Saturday evening last. The weather was very unfavorable, yet a good audience greeted the worthy lecturer.

The subject of the lecture, "The March | deals out rations at the Academy stables, of Science," was an interesting one, and had occasion to enter an enclosure in which Capt. Denson did the subject full justice. three or four deer belonging to A. Fogle, We have never heard as much general and Esq., are kept, when an old buck "went well authenticated information, so ably and for him." Cal. did some scientific dodging ed line of satisfactorily given, and we unhesitatingly around a post for awhile, but seeing the STAPLE CARPETS, pronounce the lecture one of the best we deer was about to out-dodge him, he gathhave ever heard on similar subjects. The ered up a stone, and with a well directed necessary dry details were frequently re- blow, tumbled him over, after which the lieved by apt and pleasant illustrations, all quickest fence climbing on record took tending to amuse as well as instruct, which place. indeed was the whole aim of the talented

Capt. Denson made many friends in this place, who will always be pleased to meet him, and whose best wishes will always attend him.

A large stock of DRESS GOODS At reduced prices. J. L. Fulkerson. Salem, N. C. October 13th 1875.

Concerts, Suppers, &c .- There is a prospect for an unusual number of these pleas- et he nailed it up over the front door to ant amusements as the holidays approach, all for the benefit of our Literary and Musical friends. We hope this season of festivities may prove a financial success. In the mean time we hope the Reading Club, which furnishes amusement and instruction the year round, will not be forgotten. The Club would be thankful for assistance just now, as they have been at considera- our clerks. The boy who has the shortest ble expense in fitting up the rooms, which nose stands the best chance of getting the will soon be completed.

The Club also returns thanks for the assistance already rendered by the ladies and other friends, for lamps, curtains and fur- Painted Toy to the large travelling Basket, at

The subscriptions of several of their periodicals have and will soon expire, and cash will be required to renew them .-Could not some friends aid the club in getting a start for the new year. Contribuis the finest, best and cheapest ever offered, at
Blums. tions may be left at this office.

N EW AND DESIRABLE STYLES OF Dress Goods, FOR FALL AND WINTER, Sept 23d 1875. J. L. FULKERSON, IF YOU WANT FULL VALUE FOR YOUR MONEY GET BEST GOODS of J. L FULKERSON.

A FLOCK OF TURKEYS, driven all the way here on Friday last, numbering about one hundred and thirty or forty, and were offered at 75 cents a piece, or choice lots at 8 cents are new years. 8 cents per pound, gross weight. They were all readily disposed of in this market, and are represented as being in fine condition. Some of the party, the "tollers," travelled in a wagon, and occasionally threw out a handful of grain, travelling in this manner some twenty or twenty-five Lowe, all of this county.

In this county, on the 23rd ult., by R. W. Crews, Esq., Mr. S. W. Fulton, to Miss Sallie Lowe, all of this county. miles in a day. The rear of the flock being protected by drivers on foot.

GOOD THINGS from the Largest Clothing House in America. Selections may be made from a large lot of Samples for Men and Boys Clothing. Measures will be taken, and orders forwarded to Wanamaker & Brown, by J. L. FULKERSON, Agt., Salem, N. C. Oct. 14th 1875.

SLEET .- The sleet which fell here on last Friday night, was the first spell of really bad weather we have had this season, and it seemed loth to leave us, lasting all day Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. We hope this early display of sleet will not be repeated too often this winter.

Many of the "oldest folks" predict a hard and disagreable Winter, and if last expect, it will be rough indeed.

KEEP YOUR FEET DRY, and thereby avoid pneumonia by buying good RUBBER SHOES, cheap at WOMMACK'S

The "Old Reliable," F. W. Meller, makes his attractive Holiday announcement, and from what we have seen, his stock surpasses anything heretofore kept in his failure to cure. If you have not used this medstore. The Toys are new, the Fancy icine yourself, go to your Druggist, Dr. Thomson Goods rare and attractive, and the Confec-his customers. Two doses will relieve the tioneries of the very best.

Dress Boots, which will be sold at exceedingly low prices, at WOMMACK'S.

German Syrup for 10 cents and try it. Regular size Bottle 75 cents. Don't neglect a cough to save 75 cents.

FOUND DEAD .- Mr. Spencer Waggoner left his mill on the 2nd inst., with a load of lumber, and a short time thereafter his hours from 7 a. m. to 8 p. m. during the week. As son saw the horses standing in the road, no mails arrive or depart on Sunday the office will and on approaching them to ascertain the cause of the stand still, found his father lying between the wheels dead, the forewheels having passed over his breast. It is thought that Mr. Waggoner had an attack of appoplexy and fell from the wagon.

> HATS .- Go and examine new lot of HATS, a WOMMACK'S.

HEAVY PORK .- R. C. Poinde xter, Esq., of East-Bend, Yadkin county, put up a hog the first of January last, weighing 100 lbs. gross, which netted him on the 30th of November, 481 lbs.

Mr. Adam Hauser, of the same place, put up a hog at the same time, the gross weight of which was 140 lbs., the net

Best lot of JEANS and CASSIMERE in WOMMACK'S.

A certain man went home to supper Saturday evening and found his wife in tears, the fire out and no supper ready. "What on earth is the matter, my

dear?" he hurriedly asked. "Oh, my dear husband, what shall I do,

I am in such great trouble," she said, sobbing aloud. "Well, my dear, tell me what it is that

some friend is dead?" asked the man, becoming alarmed, as her sobbing increased. "Oh, worse than that; just think, here have been all the week planning and working to get forty yards in that new dress of mine, and now since it is finished, Co., Atlanta Ga. one of the neighbors says that it takes fifty yards for a fashionable dress." The man didn't want to hear any more.

The Best Books for Boys and Girls of all iges and tastes are now on the shelves of Blum's Bookstore, at all prices.

Sunday morning, Calvin Hauser, who

TOY BOOKS. + The Standard Toy Books in profusion at Blum's Bookstore, in paper and beautifully bound in cloth.

"Did you ever see a ghost, pa?" asked a little boy, the other day.

"No, my son," answered the father, "there is no ghosts; only superstitious people believe in such things, and I hope you will not grow up to be superstitious. Then taking a horse-shoe out of his pock-"keep off witches," he said.

Work Boxes from 50 cts to \$5.00. All handsome and in the latest styles. Some very elegant trinket boxes.

Trying to pick up a silver coin, with the teeth, out of a dish of molasses, has been puzzling the boys and amusing some of

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A few Bookshelves, Brackets, and Wall Pockets, in Walnut Wood, at very low prices.

The Christmas display of Books, Fancy Stationery, Baskets, Work Boxes, Writing Desks,

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DIED.

At his residence, in this county, of pneumonia, Mr. Solomon Rothrock, at an advanced In this county, of croup, on the 1st inst., CATIE MAY, daughter of J, A. and Elira A. Steader, aged 11 months.

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Salem Cornet Band;

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Friday is an indication of what we may Court House, Saturday, December 11th.

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STATIONS.
Leave Charlotte, 9.10 F. a.s.

Air-line Junction 9.33 ii 9
11.58 ii 2.15 A. J EXP'R. 5.45 A. M. 6.20 ... 8.34 ... 10.55 ... Greensboro. 3.15 A. M. 10.55 Danville, 1.12 P. M. 6.18 " Dundee. Burkville, 2.22 P.M. Arrive Richmond. 8.48 GOING SOUTH. STATIONS. MAIL. 5.08 A. M Leave Richmond, 8.36 " 1.14 P. M Burkville, 10.33 " Danville. 10.393.00 A. M. Greensboro, Salisbury. 5.32 Air-line Junction, 7.50 "

Arrive Charlotte, GOING EAST. GOING WEST STATIONS. MAIL. 3.00 A. M. Arrive 1.35 A.M. Leave Greensboro, "Comp'y Shops, 4.3" Leaves 12.30 their representatives, the Board of Commissioners, long since passed an ordinance requiring that our own hogs should be kept off the streets,—and so far as I know, the law-has been obeyed. The hogs. Leave Greensboro, 4.30, P. M. Arrive at Salem, 8.40, A. M.

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We request an inspection of stock, whether with a view to purchasing or not, as we are confident that an examination will secure appreciation.

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